

## **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REPLACING FEE-BASED SOFTWARE**

### **ABSTRACT**

A method, system, and computer-readable medium for providing alternative software to users of fee-based software products, detects the  
5 software residing on a user's computer, determines the expiration date of the fee-based software, offers replacement, complementary, and/or supplementary software based on this information, and downloads the replacement software to the computer of the user as requested by the user.